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SCOTLAND IS BOMBED

British Fighter Planes and
Anti-Aircraft Guns Kept
Busy TodayBy Robert G. Nixon
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent

LONDON, July 20.—(INS)—A cold hostility unparalleled since the start of the war today featured the British public's reaction to Chancellor Hitler's "make peace or perish" speech, as the London Press reached a new high in assailing the Fuehrer's "effrontery."

While the government made no official statement, it was understood the cabinet ministers were carefully studying the text of the address to ascertain whether any parliamentary answer is necessary. It was considered possible Prime Minister Winston Churchill might deliver a reply before the House of Commons next Tuesday.

And the nature of any such reply is a "foregone conclusion."

The Daily Telegraph, considered close to the British Foreign Office, keyed the press reaction by stating: "The speech merely encouraged and fortifies us in our inflexible resolve to blot Hitler out of Europe. We are in no doubt as to who will be destroyed."

The Daily Express carried the headline: "One must die—Britain or Germany."

The London Times stressed Hitler's emphasis on the prospect that the war will be lengthy.

Wickham Steed, British broadcasting Corporation commentator, quoted an excerpt from President Roosevelt's acceptance speech to describe Hitler's peace appeal.

"Though it was used exactly twelve hours before Hitler spoke, it defined Continued on Page Four

Famed Tenor's Step-Mother
Dies at Morrisville Home

MORRISVILLE, July 20.—Death yesterday claimed Mrs. Adeline S. Crooks, 66, stepmother of Richard A. Crooks, the famous tenor. Death occurred at her home, West Franklin street, death, according to Dr. James P. Lawler, deputy coroner, was due to a heart condition.

Born in Newportville, Mrs. Crooks resided here for the past 5½ years. She was the wife of Alex S. Crooks, and in addition to Richard Crooks, another step-son, Jesse G. Crooks, Trenton, N. J.; four grandchildren; and the following sisters and brothers survive: Mrs. George Ardrey, Bristol; Mrs. Harry Gearheart, Newtown Square; Mrs. William Strode, Red Bank, N. J.; Arthur G. Harrison, Washington, D. C.; C. Taylor Harrison, Trenton; and Louis V. Harrison, Arlington.

The funeral is arranged for Monday afternoon.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Francis Joseph McGee, 25, Dorothy Klawitter, 24, Bristol.

Matthew Aaron, 23, Carmel, N. J.; Gussie Levy, 22, Vineland, N. J.

Ernest Buchler, 29, Lorraine D. Stauffer, 21, Willow Grove.

Roy Henry Fox, 21, Lillian Mary Undercuffer, 15, Trumbauersville.

John Slich, 30, Irene Rapos, 24, Trenton.

Francis J. Burk, 25, Josephine A. Lombino, 26, Flemington, N. J.

Emanuelle Turillo, 51, 321 South Clinton avenue, Sabatini Andonelli, 52, 427 Elmer street, Trenton.

Herman Finkelstein, 23, Anna Murzyn, 25, 3204 Salmon street, Philadelphia.

John Joseph Carrigan, 26, 2557 Sepviva street, Lillian Beatrice Martin, 21, 5567 Sepviva street, Philadelphia.

Walter S. Rozalski, 22, Mary Jar-emback, 19, Morrisville.

William F. Snyder, 38, 7905 Craig street, Nancy MacDonald, 29, 7917 Craig street, Philadelphia.

John E. Russell, 19, 2127 East Dauphin street, Clara Gregowski, 17, 2049 North Philip street, Philadelphia.

CUT IN FIGHT

A warrant was issued this morning for Neil Hines, Wood and Market streets, upon complaint of William Hayes, Wood street, Hayes, who was treated at Harriman Hospital for cuts on the head and nose, informed police officers at the municipal building, that Hines cut him with a pen-knife during the course of an altercation, which is said to have started on Market street, and continued for some minutes in a nearby alley. Hayes states that Hines left the scene after entering an automobile. He has not been apprehended as yet.

PLAN EXCURSION

The Young People's Fellowship of St. James' Episcopal Church plans a moonlight excursion for July 25th.

TIDES AT BRISTOL

(Daylight Saving Time)
High tide 3.46 a. m., 4.10 p. m.
Low tide 11.04 a. m., 11.19 p. m.

Penna. Employment And
Payrolls Show Increase

PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—(INS)—Spurred by increasing demands for iron and steel, factory employment and payrolls in Pennsylvania rose one per cent and four per cent respectively from mid-May to mid-June, the Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia reported today.

Expansion in the durable goods industries, including transportation equipment, halted a steady decline in early months of the year. Factory employment, estimated at \$92,000 in June, 1939, while weekly payrolls of \$22,100,000 jumped 16 per cent from a year ago.

"The number of wage earners producing consumers' goods declined fractionally, but the amount of wage payments increased somewhat," the bank stated. "Average hourly earnings rose more than a half cent to 72½ cents, the highest level in records back to 1927."

Newportville Junior
Fellowship Plans Picnic

NEWPORTVILLE, July 20.—The Junior Fellowship of Newportville Church held a business meeting in the Church basement, Thursday evening.

The president, Janet Mattocks, called the meeting to order. A picnic is planned for Aug. 17th, to be held at Bowman's Hill.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to: Jane Wimmersberger, Alice Backhouse, Dorothy Ellis, Elsie Oldham, Jacqueline Ingraham, Janet Rath and Marion Mattocks, Anna White, Myron Mattocks, Jr., Frank Everett, Louisa Kohler, Mrs. C. Everett, Mrs. H. Backhouse, Mr. and Mrs. P. Kohler.

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SPELT GAMELIN'S END

Downs, in Uncensored Story,
Tells of Incidents Leading
To Naming Weygand

TOO LATE FOR FRANCE

(Editor's Note: Following is another of a series of four uncensored articles by Kenneth Downs, chief of the Paris Bureau of International News Service and winner of the George Holmes Memorial Award, revealing for the first time the hidden factors really responsible for collapse of the French Republic.—INS.)

By Kenneth Downs
(I. N. S. Staff Correspondent)

NEW YORK, July 20.—(INS)—Game, astute little Paul Reynaud was a thoroughly alarmed and angry man. His face was drawn and his black eyes flashed as he summoned Edouard Daladier.

This was the day; in the first week of May, that the French leaders knew the Allies were hopelessly washed up in Norway. The nation was not to learn for two or three days more.

His sullen, resentful Minister for War and National Defense had no sooner limped into his presence before Reynaud came to the point—Gamelin must go.

With expert assistance, Reynaud said he had gone into the conduct of French operations in Norway and discovered enough to convince him he would have to dismiss General Maurice Gamelin as commander-in-chief.

He carefully went over the evidence with Daladier. But Daladier, whose personal dislike for Reynaud amounted to hatred, flatly refused to agree to a change. It was no secret that he was waiting to upset Reynaud's government and now he warned he would resign and provoke a political crisis rather than consent to Gamelin's removal.

The matter was brought before the Cabinet on May 9th. After a violent argument, it remained undecided. Reynaud considered resignation. But a few hours later, in the early morning of May 10th, the great offensive on the western front began.

Holland, Belgium and Luxembourg were being overrun. Tons of bombs were being loosed on northern France and the first of those unforgettable tides of refugees which were to paralyze the French armies, already were beginning to choke the roads.

The President of the Republic urged Reynaud not to resign. Daladier urged him to make a switch at such a critical hour, let the Generalissimo remain.

It required the break-through on the Meuse in the next few days, revealing the pitiful inadequacy of the French military preparations, to bring about the end of Gamelin as commander-in-chief. General Weygand, the much-advertised "fireman," was rushed in to try to save the day.

Weygand did his best. His improvised defense-in-depth slowed the enemy advance and exacted a heavy toll of men and machines.

It was too late.

The Ninth Army was shattered, the Seventh and part of the First Armies were cut off in Belgium, and vast quantities of sorely-needed material were lost. The fire was beyond control when the fireman arrived.

This story, with its implications of lack of foresight, inefficiency, divided Continued on Page Four

Tots Help Robert Michel
Celebrate 3rd Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Michel, Jr., Edgely, recently gave a party in honor of their son, Robert, in celebration of his third birthday anniversary.

Games and refreshments were enjoyed and a prize was given to Karlene Hartel for putting the pennies in the bottle, and Kenneth Hibbs was given the prize for pinning the tail on the donkey.

The little guests included: Judith Focht and Beverly Bintliff, Edgely; Janet Neindorff, Tullytown; Karlene Hartel, Morrisville; Kenneth Hibbs, Bristol.

Robert received several gifts.

BUCKS WILL BECOME 5TH
CLASS COUNTY IN 1941

Is Automatically Changed As
Population Tops The
100,000 Mark

THREE NEW OFFICES

DOYLESTOWN, July 20.—Bucks county becomes operative as a fifth class county starting January 1, 1941, and at that time three new offices, county controller, warden and matron of the Bucks County prison will become operative.

With a population of over 100,000 Bucks county automatically goes into the fifth class county classification from sixth class. This means that most of the salaries of the county office holders will automatically increase when new officers are elected. Salaries of the present officers will not be increased.

Bucks has never had a County Controller in name. The duties of the Controller are to manage the county. The salary of the Controller who will be appointed by the Governor of Pennsylvania to take office January 1, 1941, will be \$3500 annually. At the next county election after January 1, the Controller will be elected.

Under the new set-up the Sheriff will have to move out of the present home quarters at the Bucks County Prison and live in a private residence. The prison residence will be occupied by the new Warden to be appointed by the County. It is more than likely that the Matron of the prison will also live there. Salaries of the Warden and Matron are fixed by the county salary board.

The Sheriff will have nothing to do with the operation of the prison under the new set-up starting next January. County Judges, it is understood, also will come under the new set-up in salary adjustments, although this adjustment is paid by the State. What the exact increase in fifth class counties, in the case of Judges, will be, could not be ascertained today.

War Affects Efficiency
Of Weather Forecasts

CHICAGO, July 20.—(INS)—There has been much speculation over the question of whether war-time shelling affects weather conditions, but there can be no room for doubt that Europe's war has played havoc with American weather forecasting.

Before the war the United States Weather Bureau in Chicago maintained an average of \$5 to 10 per cent accuracy. That was during a time when every ship on the high seas, and every meteorologist abroad, was free to send data to America.

With the war, however, ships at sea and meteorologists abroad were thrust under a hard-clamped silence. The number of ships on the seas was greatly reduced, and those that did sail sent only extremely urgent messages because they feared to broadcast anything that would indicate their position.

In Europe the weather became something of a military secret. English newspapers, for instance, could not comment on local weather.

Under these conditions, the United States weather bureaus were unable to maintain a close check on mass movements of air that control weather conditions, and were therefore reduced in efficiency.

Paul Gosline, Aged Ten,
Has Anniversary Party

Paul Gosline, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gosline, Bath street, was host on Thursday evening at a party in celebration of his tenth birthday anniversary.

The children made merry, playing games, with "Billy" Vandegrift receiving prizes for the donkey game and guessing the exact amount of peanuts in a jar. Ruth Vandegrift was given the prize for the peanut hunt, and Donald Green received the prize for guessing the least amount of peanuts in a jar.

Refreshments were served, and favors of pink and green snappers given. The invitation list also included: Donald Vandegrift, Jean, Catherine and Augustus Arnold, Marie and Ralph Bowers, Gordon Gilbert, Emma Williams, Jean Wallace, Ruth Ann Ter-neson, Francis Phipps, Clarence Breece, "Jackie" Green, Charles and "Bobby" Gosline.

Paul was the recipient of many gifts.

If you have a house to rent, advertise it in The Courier.

Courier Classifieds Pay!

Here and There in Bucks County Towns

HULMEVILLE

Edward VanArtsdalen is ill at his Bellevue avenue home.

The scholars of the Grace Episcopal Church School are picnicking today at Chalfont.

NEWPORTVILLE

Mrs. Fred Cotshott spent Thursday in Wildwood, N. J.

Mrs. C. N. Ingraham and son Clifford and daughter Jacqueline spent Wednesday in Ocean City, N. J., as guests of Mrs. Enoch, Frankford.

EDGELY

Miss Anna Rozad, Philadelphia, is vacationing at the home of Mrs. Michael Frice.

A visit was paid by Mrs. John Coulthard and Mrs. Walter Rittler to Mrs. Fred Hibbs in Abington Hospital, yesterday.

Several weeks are being spent by Miss Doris Stone with relatives in Coatesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest McCavatt spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. George Bintliff.

Friday was passed by Mrs. Havard Himelright as guest of relatives in Chestnut Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Toon, Germantown, were guests for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Havard Himelright.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Quinn are spending this week at Ocean City, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mannheim and children, Marjorie and "Bobby" spent several days at Atlantic City, N. J.

CROYDON

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Swanson and daughters Lillian and Flora, St. Louis, Mo., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Britton, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Coar, Maynes Lane. They also spent a day this week with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Casey, Florence, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Collins have returned from a motor trip through New England States. They stopped in Maine to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Dennis and family have moved from Cedar avenue to Virginia where Mr. Dennis is now working.

LANGHORNE

Among the members of Langhorne Friends Meeting who attended the Friends General Conference in Cape May, N. J., recently, were: Miss Agnes P. Sellers, Miss Wilhelmina Ivins, Mrs. Adella Longshore, the Misses Marian Longshore, Helen Newbold, Molly Pickering and Cecily Ann Canby; and William Parry.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond L. Yantz have returned from their wedding trip through Southern States.

COUNTY-WIDE FLOWER
SHOW IS FALL EVENT

Planned for September 6th,
7th, 8th, by County
Floral Council

AT CHALFONT PARK

DOYLESTOWN, July 20.—A county-wide flower show is scheduled for September 6th, 7th and 8th, by the Bucks County Floral Council. The site of the show will be Forest Park, Chalfont.

Mrs. Alpheus E. Reading, Chalfont, will serve as chairman of the flower show which will be open to every flower club and amateur flower grower in the county. Entries must be made September 6th.

A feature to a recent meeting of County Floral Council held here, and attended by women from the Minsi Trail, Linzhocken, Keller's Church, Chalfont and Martha Washington Flower Clubs, composing the floral council, was a poster contest.

Forrest C. Crooks, well-known Solbury artist and illustrator, served as the judge of the contest which had about 30 entries. Mr. Crooks based his decision not only on the attractiveness of the poster but on its value as a poster, combined with attractiveness.

The winners included: first, Mrs. Russell Gilbert; second, Mrs. Reba Hillman; third, Mrs. Russell Hess; fourth, Mrs. Esther Stever; fifth, Mrs. H. C. Wambold.

President Mrs. Gilbert announced that sweepstake prizes for the county flower show to be held at Forest Park in the Fall will include two Japanese yew trees, two dogwood trees, an evergreen tree, monetary awards: silver medal, and three subscriptions to flower magazines.

Clinton J. Lewis Lodge
Will Have Street Parade

The Clinton J. Lewis Lodge, I. B. P. O. E. of W., will close its 25th anniversary celebration today, with a street parade starting at three o'clock.

The route of the parade is announced as follows: Start from Jefferson avenue, down Radcliffe street, to Mill, Bath, Buckley, Spruce, to the Colored Elks home on Lake street.

Courier Classifieds Ads bring results

FALLSINGTON

Mrs. B. Frank Burton was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Danfield, Bristol.

Mrs. William Kellett was hostess to a committee meeting from Fallsington, Morrisville Woman's Christian Temperance Union. A picnic of the union was held on Saturday at the Friends Meeting House grounds.

Miss Louis Graham, Fallsington, has been serving as a teacher at the Daily Vacation Bible School at Morrisville Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Longhurst, Concord, N. C., were recent visitors of the Misses Moon.

CENTENNARIAN PLANS
TO ATTEND REUNION

Mrs. Hannah Shive, Andalusia, To Be Guest of Honor at Seiple Gathering

SPEAKERS OF NOTE

Mrs. Hannah Shive, 101-year-old resident of Andalusia, is hoping to attend the annual reunion of the Seiple family, which is scheduled for Saturday, August 17th.

The Seiple family will gather at Menlo Park, Parkside, and on that occasion George Seibel, Pittsburgh, librarian of the Carnegie Free Library, Pittsburgh; Fred C. Seibel, cartoonist and art critic of a Richmond, Va. newspaper; and Congressman Charles Gerlach of the Bucks-Lehigh district, will be speakers.

Mrs. Shive, will be the guest of honor. Prizes are to be offered to the oldest and youngest attending, also the largest family.

Opportunity will be offered during the day to all who wish to see the family memorial over the grave of George Heinrich Seibel in Tobieck Church cemetery, a few miles from Menlo Park. This memorial was dedicated in 1938. It was unveiled at that time by Rev. Dr. Russell Seiple, Philadelphia, and the dedication address was by Rev. Dr. W. F. Curtis, of Cedar Crest College.

The dedication marked the 200th anniversary of the arrival in Philadelphia of the family's ancestor from the Palatinate.

Officers of the association are: Rev. Dr. Russell Seiple, Philadelphia, president; Rev. Dr. W. F. Curtis, Allentown; Dr. Howard Seiple, Centre Square; Dr. George Seibel, Allentown; Herbert B. Wagner, Allentown, and Jacob Cope, Sellersville, vice-presidents; Dr. Clyde Flory, Sellersville, historian; Frank Stoneback, Bethlehem, treasurer; T. Warren Jones, Allentown, secretary; entertainment committee: Mrs. Clyde Flory, Sellersville; Mrs. Cora Rader, Belfast, and Marjorie Seiple, Centre Square.

Summer Music Activities
Start Soon at Perkasio

PERKASIE, July 20.—The summer music activities at Sellersville-Perkasie high school will get underway on July 29th.

Instrumental classes will be organized. The high school has two snare drums and a baritone horn available. Candidates for drum majors will also be given the opportunity to study at this time.

Band rehearsals will begin immediately. Mr. Dillman is in charge.

Atlantic City Attracts
Cornwells Hts. Auxiliary

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, July 20.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of Cornwells Fire Co., No. 1, enjoyed a bus trip to Atlantic City, N. J., on Thursday. The group went bathing and visited places of interest.

The following enjoyed the picnic: Mrs. Barnett, Mrs. Jane Smith, Mrs. William Amick, Mrs. Roscoe Perkins, Mrs. Joseph Smith, Mrs. Edward Dyer, Mrs. Frank Shaw, Miss Elsie Smith, Miss Florence Bingham, Mrs. William Sommerfield, Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Walter Gottsabend, Mrs. Schumaker, Mrs. Charles Miehle, Mrs. Hugh Deans, Mrs. Witback, Mrs. H. H. Detmer, Mrs. Harvey Rigby, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Henchell, Mrs. C. Andrews, Miss Leona Andrews, Mrs. Robert Dapp, Mrs. Cisso, Mrs. Herpan Rapp, Mrs. Jack Whyte, Mrs. C. Day, Mrs. Reed Ewing, Mrs. Stainbrook, Mrs. Biehl, Mrs. Jean Vattimer, Mrs. C. Hughes, Mrs. John McEntyre, Mrs. Twining, Mrs. Cole.

Neighbors Honor Resident
of Wilson Avenue at Party

Mrs. James Flanagan, Wilson avenue, was surprised Wednesday afternoon, when a group of neighbors arrived at her home for a social time. For games played, favors were awarded to Mrs. Thomas Sharp and Mrs. J. Kelso. A gift was presented to Mrs. Flanagan.

Refreshments were served to: Mrs. Martha Missera, Mrs. Laura Sabatini, Mrs. Theresa Torano, Mrs. Julia Aita, Mrs. Jean Kelso, Mrs. John Sharp, Mrs. Mary Konefal, Mrs. Mildred Kerr, Mrs. Dorothy Townsend, Mrs. Emmett Coffey, Mrs. J. Leyden, Mrs. P. Kotchie, Mrs. Stephen Adams, Mrs. D. Kitchera, Mrs. Thomas Sharp.

LATEST NEWS - - -

Received from International
News Service Over Special
Teletype News Wire.

Hitler Awaits The "Voice of
England"

Berlin, July 20.—Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler is waiting to hear the "voice of England" regarding acceptance or rejection of his final peace offer before attacking Great Britain with "terror to millions." It was understood on reliable authority today.

Definite indications that the Fuehrer hopes that the British people will speak over the heads of their government were forthcoming. But well-informed quarters allowed a margin of only days instead of weeks before the final phase of Europe's war begins with a "blitzkrieg" onslaught against the heart of the British Empire.

German spokesmen constantly reiterated the phrase "the next days" in discussing the time when the Fuehrer will launch the attack which he himself predicted before the Reichstag yesterday would result in complete annihilation of either Britain or Germany. He expressed certainty, of course, that Britain would be the loser.

It was made emphatically clear that the decision for continued war of peace will be made by Hitler alone. It will be based, spokesmen said, upon "authentic information and reaction from England."

In this connection, authentic quarters rejected the initial British reaction as hasty, made to order and not representative of the voice of the English people.

But it was apparent the Fuehrer expects to have his answer by next week at the latest. If by that time he is convinced Britain—or the British people—still want to fight, the battle will begin.

No stone will be left unturned and no effort spared, it was said, to acquaint every last Englishman with the text and terror of Hitler's peace appeal.

Husband and Wife Killed

Reading, July 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Jordan, of Somerville, N. J., were killed and eight other persons were injured last night in a three-car crash near Strausstown. The Jordans and five of their relatives were riding in a car which collided head-on with a furniture truck after it had sideswiped another car.

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YOUNG PEOPLE GIVEN
CHRISTIAN CHALLENGE

Dr. George G. Dilworth Tells
That Christianity is Only
Thing World Needs

SPEAKS AT TREVOSE

TREVOSE, July 20.—One hundred and sixty-two Epworthians answered the roll call, and additional worshippers brought the total attendance to 290, when Dr. George G. Dilworth addressed the Bristol Group of Epworth Leagues who were guests at Simpson Grove Camp Meeting, here, last evening.

Dr. Dilworth, secretary of the Atlantic District, American Bible Society, and leader of the young people's meetings at Ocean Grove Camp Meeting, N. J., threw out a rousing challenge to the girls and boys, young women and young men, showing the big task that is before the Christian workers of the world.

"You have a job to do young people. We lay upon your heart tonight the responsibility of saving this world."

This remark followed consideration on the part of the speaker as to the plight and need of the world. "The one thing that makes me go on is that God can speak to you through me," he said at the outset, as he announced his subject "The Church in the World Today." His text was from Romans, "For I am not ashamed of the Gospel of Christ; it is the power of God unto salvation." He then gave the Moffatt translation, which challenges even more: "I am proud of the Gospel of Christ. It is God's saving power to everyone who has faith."

Dr. Dilworth told that there is growing feeling in the world, even outside the Church, "that what we in the Epworth League have been standing for is the fundamental and only thing that will bring us out of the dark. There has never been such an opportunity for the Church of Jesus Christ to assert itself as today."

The speaker backed up the words of one well-known writer: "Unless Spiritual power is let loose there is nothing but chaos and smash-up"

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AFTERNOON OF CARDS

EDGELY, July 19.—At an afternoon card party at the home of Mrs. M. Walters, high score was won by Mrs. G. H. Bergmann; second, Mrs. W. Scott. Refreshments were served, others attending being Mrs. William Heinicke, Mrs. Raylor, Mrs. Grace, Mrs. Himelright, Mrs. Bintliff.

BRIDE COLLAPSES
AFTER WITNESSING
MATE'S DROWNING

Groups Grapple Throughout
Night for Body of Ray-
mond Klischer

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CRAFTSMEN READY

Skilled craftsmen will take a greater part in the present armament program than was the case in any previous effort of this kind, due to the rapid advances made by mechanization of armed might.

With the skilled learned in the most peaceful of all crafts, the watchmakers assert that they are ready to become, overnight, makers of the precision instruments that will be needed in the nation's huge defense program.

At a meeting of the Horological Institute of America the prospect of a greatly increased demand in the field of accurate instruments was discussed. With foreign sources cut off by the war and the enlarged need for accurate instruments to make high-caliber guns, gun sights, airplane apparatus and all of the mechanical equipment needed by the modern army, the demand for skilled instrument makers and repairers may well become pressing.

The trained makers and repairers of delicate watches have already the ability to enter this industry, which is of prime importance to the nation. If they do, it will not be the first time they have been used in a new field under the stress of necessity.

For some unexplained reason there was a bond between watchmakers and locomotives in the early days of railroading in the United States. The country was sadly lacking in trained engineers and it was soon evident that the horses used for power on the first railroads were not satisfactory. Many experiments were made before the steam locomotive was definitely adopted.

Early in its history the Baltimore & Ohio offered a prize of \$4,000 for the best locomotive and a second prize of \$3,500. The York, built by Phineas Davis, a watchmaker of York, Pa., was the only one which met the specifications. It was hauled by oxen over mountain roads to be placed on the Baltimore & Ohio tracks. Davis later built a second locomotive, the Atlantic, and was finally engaged as the chief mechanical engineer of the B. & O.

Other watchmakers who engaged in locomotive building were Stacy Costell and Ezekiel Childs. Neither of them was very successful, but Matthew Baldwin, a Philadelphia watchmaker, laid the foundation of a large locomotive works when he built the first Baldwin locomotive, Old Ironsides.

Baldwin had some experience in building steam engines, for he had constructed a stationary engine to run his factory for the manufacture of calico printing rolls. He had also designed and built a working model of a locomotive for Franklin Peale, manager of the Philadelphia Museum. This model, which ran on a circular track, was a great drawing card for the museum and created much interest.

Baldwin never returned to his watchmaking, but built locomotives the rest of his life. Complicated gun sights, airplane and submarine instruments offer different problems in mechanics from locomotives, but craftsmen of today have the experience of the machine age and fine tools as a background, while the watchmakers who built locomotives in the early days of railroading had little with which to work but their heads.

It was Tex. He did not recognize his wife in the gloom.

"I'm looking for Mrs. Aimes," he said.

"I am Mrs. Aimes," her voice held laughter which was almost a sob. "Won't you come in?"

"Good Lord! Are you a maid here?"

"Just for the time being," Tex Aimes followed Judith down

CHURCH NEWS

REV. SOLLA TO PREACH AT THE UNION SERVICE

Will Be Held at 8 o'Clock on Sunday Evening in Bristol Methodist Church

SERVICES DURING WEEK

Bristol Methodist Church
Church School, 9:45 a. m.; worship service and sermon at 11 o'clock; Epworth League, young people's service at 6:45 p. m.; union evening service at 8 o'clock with the Rev. A. G. Solia as the preacher.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School, 10 a. m.; morning worship and sermon, 11, sermon topic, "The Radiant Face."

Bristol Society of Friends
Wood and Market streets: On Sunday, July 21, Richard McFeeley, of George School, will attend the meeting for worship at 11 a. m.

Zion Lutheran Church
Jefferson avenue, the Rev. P. R.

Ronge, pastor:
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11, study in the word (1 Cor. 13) "Marks of Love."

St. James' P. E. Church
Services for St. James' Church, Sunday, July 21st: eight a. m., Holy Communion; 10:45, morning prayer and sermon.
A financial statement for the first half of the year will be at the Church on Sunday, and the rector asks everyone to take one.

The 228th anniversary of the Church will be held on Sunday, July 23th.

Calvary Baptist Church
Wood and Walnut streets, pastor, Lehman Strauss: Morning service at 11, with the pastor's message entitled, "Christ's Gifts to His Church," (Eph. 4:7-16); in the evening the sermon subject is "The Perfect Prayer," special music will be rendered by George B. Davis; Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. in charge of the superintendent, Maris Hart; Fellowship Prayer Circle at 6:45; young people's service at seven o'clock.

On Tuesday evening, beginning at eight o'clock, will be the prayer and praise service with the pastor commenting upon the Sunday School lesson.

FICTION

son for July 28th. The young people will take charge of a special service to be held at the Bordentown State Prison, N. J., Wednesday evening.

Harriman Methodist Church
Harriman Methodist Church, Wilson avenue and Harrison street, the Rev. James D. Matchette, minister: Church School, 10 a. m., classes for all ages, Alfred Rogers general superintendent; divine worship, 11:15, minister's theme, "Grace Before Meat." The Daily Vacation Bible School will attend and participate in the service.

Epworth League, seven p. m., service of song and praise, eight, minister's theme, "World Peace?"

Meetings next week: Monday, Men's Group, 7:30 p. m.; Wednesday, choir practice, eight p. m., Thursday, Ladies' Aid. The closing exercises of the Daily Vacation Bible School will be held Friday at 7:30 p. m.

Young People Given Christian Challenge

Continued From Page One
Dr. Dilworth told the young people of an incident which occurred in a large radio broadcasting studio in New York City when Hitler was

OTHER INTERESTS

LOOKING FORWARD

By Franklyn Waltman
Publicity Director, Republican National Committee

"In Union there is Strength," is a realism of Wendell L. Willkie and Senator Charles L. McNary.

They know that these men, with the able assistance they can bring to their command, will save the American Way for Americans.

That they will have no part in crackpot, half-brained schemes, substituted for economic laws.

That they will not seek to impose upon Americans the regimentation of the masses which features the ways of life of Europe; that they will preserve individual initiative, free enterprise, personal liberties and will destroy bureaucracy and its attendant evils.

They know that Wendell L. Willkie and Charles L. McNary are champions of a government of laws, rather than of men; that they will put American interests first; that in their hands the authority of the functions of the Congress and of the Courts will be maintained and the system of checks and balances, written into the Constitution, preserved.

The American people from the humblest working man to the richest capitalist understand that the rights of each will have equal standing under the law; that human rights and property rights alike will be accorded even handed justice.

The American people know that under this system, guaranteed by the Republican Party, the unemployed will be given opportunities to go to work; political favoritism will be wiped out; discrimination will cease and prosperity to the whole people will be restored.

They also know that under a Republican Administration can best be maintained the Nation's dignity and security; its defenses made impregnable and the lives of its citizens safeguarded.

For these and countless other reasons the American people have decided to turn away from false prophets, blatant promises; insincerity, ineptitude, waste and extravagance; selfish ambitions; peanut politicians, fallacious economics and all the other trappings of the New Deal Administration.

They will supplant them with sanity, common sense, honesty, administrative capacity, individual responsibility and a return to the wholly "American Way."

Wendell L. Willkie and Charles L. McNary will be the next President and Vice-President of the United States.

unleashing his hordes against the small countries. "The president of the broadcasting company instructed his board of directors: 'Cut in with war news wherever you want, in any program except religious programs. Don't cut into those, for the religious people are the only ones saying anything worthwhile. They have the only thing the world needs.'"

He also brought to the gathering the words of Dr. Stine, head chemist of the DuPont interests, and recipient of the Pickett award, highest award in the chemistry field. Dr. Stine, after accepting the award, made the following statement during his address: "Chemistry or no form of science will ever save this world. The only thing that will save this world is a Spiritual regeneration based on the Word of God."

The speaker was introduced by the Rev. John A. McElroy, Trevese Methodist pastor, and president of the board of managers of the camp meeting. The Temple Trumpeters favored with selections; and the Young People's Choir of Scottsville Church sang. Prayer was offered by the Rev. Francis Thomas, Yardley.

Sidney Smith, Scottsville, newly-elected president of Bristol Group, conducted the roll call, with the following groups of young people responding: Bensalem, Bristol, Emille-Fallsington, Hulmeville, Morrisville, Newtown, Penn's Park, Scottsville, Trevese, Yardley, New Hope; and guests from Wharton Memorial Church, Philadelphia.

A "dogie" roast followed the meeting, with Trevese Leaguers serving as hosts.

STATE COLLEGE—(INS)—For the benefit of Summer vacationists who want to know where to get a good sun tan, scientists have developed a new method for measuring ultra-violet in solar and sky radiation, it was announced here.

Through the use of photosensitive glass rods, developed by Dr. Helmut Landsberg, assistant professor of geophysics at Penn State College, sunbathers can now tell in what part of the country they can obtain the kind of sun tan they most particularly desire.

In southern regions, for instance, tests have shown that there is 30 to 50 per cent more ultra-violet than in the northern districts. Simplified, this merely means that the sun bather can get a quicker tan south of the Mason-Dixon Line than he can north of it.

Rio Piedras, Puerto Rico, had the highest recorded value, it was reported, while Tucson, Arizona, came in a close second. Pittsburgh and New York City, because of pollution in the atmosphere, the scientists reported, have low ratings.

SAN FRANCISCO—(INS)—Recent computations have shown that astronomers for many years were mistaken in their estimates of the distance of stars from the earth, according to Dr. Frederick H. Seares, assistant director

LEGAL

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE
Bureau of Escheats
Harrisburg, Pa.

July 15, 1940.
Notice is hereby given that the several Banks, Trust Companies, Private Banks and County Officers of Bucks County, listed below, have reported to this Department in compliance with the provisions of the Acts of June 7, 1915, P. L. 378, the amendment thereto of July 5, 1917, P. L. 725, and April 9, 1929, P. L. 343, unclaimed funds in their possession to the following amounts belonging to, or held for the benefit of, owners or beneficiaries:

They personally, or by their legal representatives, are hereby notified that unless they claim the said amounts from the said Banks, Trust Companies, Private Banks or County Officers within the time limited by law, the same will be liable to be escheated to the Commonwealth in an action instituted by it in conformity with the said Acts of 1915, 1917, and 1929, or taken over by the Commonwealth without escheat under the provisions of the Act of May 16, 1919, P. L. 177.

The Bristol Trust Company
208 Radcliffe St., Bristol, Penna.
Names of Owners Last Known or Beneficiaries Address Amount

George H. Huxley, Dec'd, Dorrence St., Bristol, Pa. 122.50
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Anna P. Wiedemer, Tr. for Ellwood Wiedemer, Bristol, Pa. 158.91
Taylor M. Raymond, Tr. for Anna M. Raymond, R.D. 1, Bristol, Pa. 10.62
G. C. Tibbets, Crofton, Pa. 16.36
Doylstown Trust Company
Doylstown, Pa.

Names of Owners Last Known or Beneficiaries Address Amount
Hannah Gruver, unknown 21.25
Warren C. Hill, unknown 19.00
Doyle, Tr. Gdn., Lizzie A. Boyd, unknown 452.85
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ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of Mary J. McElroy, deceased, late of Bristol Borough, Bucks County, Pennsylvania.
Letters Testamentary on the above estate have been granted to the undersigned, who requests all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the decedent to make known the same and all persons indebted to the decedent to make payment, without delay to

CHRISTOPHER J. McGRANE, Executor,
228 Otter St., Bristol, Pa.
To his attorney,
JOHN P. BEITZ, JR.,
210 Radcliffe St., Bristol, Pa.

ESTATE NOTICE

Estate of James T. Hinchliffe, late of the Township of Bristol, Bucks County, Pennsylvania, deceased.
Letters of administration cum testamento annexo having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to said estate are notified to make settlement, and all having legal claims against same are requested to present them promptly in proper form for settlement to

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UNDERTAKER—William I. Murphy Estate, 316 Jefferson avenue, Bristol, Pa., phone 2417.

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BEFORE YOU BUY—That used car, look at our selection, Simpson Chevrolet, Inc., 222 E. Bridge St., Morristown, N.J.

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GENERAL CESSPOOL WORK—Done reasonable. Phone Bristol 7549.

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ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR—George P. Bailey, Phone Bristol 7125.

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OIL BURNERS—Hot water heat. Plumbing. Nothing down, 3 years to pay. Barth, Crofton, Bristol 7575.

Repairing and Refinishing

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SEWING MACHINES—Repaired and adjusted. Call Bristol 3191.

Employment

Help Wanted—Female

32
WAITRESS—Part time. Call at 423 Mill St., Bristol. Phone 2915.

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Musical, Dancing, Dramatic

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PIANO INSTRUCTION—Elementary & Advanced Courses. Firman Piano Studio, 242 Mill St., phone 516.

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TOP SOIL—And fill dirt. Phone Bristol 7475.

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SAILOAT—14 foot, mahogany hull, ready to sail. Apply 348 Penn street. Phone Bristol 2755.

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COLLIERY COAL—Stove & nut \$7.50, pea \$7, buck \$6. Peters Coal Co., yard and scales, Church St., Crofton. Phone Bristol 3090.

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59
REFRIGERATOR—5 cu. ft. Good running cond. Small amount of refrigerator will put into perfect condition. Price \$20. Call Bristol 2529.

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61
DYNAMIC 110 VOLT—Electric welders for sale. Only \$19.75. Milton J. Miller, agent. Crofton Manor.

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CELERY AND CABBAGE PLANTS—Checkia Bros., Bristol & Hulmeville rds., Bensalem twp., Hulme, 719-R-1.

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BOARDING—Can accom. 5 men. Excel. table, everything grown on place. For particulars call Langhorne 267. Coates Est., Dillan & Hill Aves.

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SINGLE & DOUBLE ROOMS—Reasonable and centrally located. Apply 230 Mulberry St.

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APARTMENTS—3 and 6 rooms. Apply Chas. LaPolla, 1415 Farragut Ave., phone Bristol 652.

LANGHORNE MANR—Beautiful modern 5 rm. apt., private garage. Furnished if desired. Phone Lang. 57 before 11 a. m. Van Orden, Park and Hill Aves.

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NEWPORTVILLE—House with elect. range, elect. refrig., bath. Ideal for couple. Marvin Ortilp, Newportville.

EDDINGTON—House, 7 rms. & bath. Oil heat, double garage. \$45 a month. Also apt., 5 rms. & bath. Priv. entr. Oil heat. \$30 a month. Phone Cornwells 145.

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Houses for Sale

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BE WISE AND BUY NOW!—Just think—\$200 down and stop paying rent—own your own home. See me before you buy and let me show you all my bargains. Also, I have country homes for sale. 1-2 1/2 acres. Apply Charles LaPolla, 1415 Farragut Ave., Phone 652.

ROOM & BATH—Dwelling, entirely reconditioned, electric range, cabinet sink, screens, awnings, storm doors and windows, etc. Good location. Possession at once. For inspection call Leonard J. Blanche, 118 Mill St., phone 838 or 2432.

SEVERAL HOUSES—Several houses still left in the Sixth Ward. Good condition. Reasonable. 10% down. Hugh B. Eastburn, 118 Mill St., Bristol, Pa.

TEN PER CENT—Down buys an up-to-date home overlooking the river. Hugh B. Eastburn, 118 Mill St., Bristol, Pa.



CHAPTER TWENTY-SEVEN

Judith, once she had made up her mind, set to work. Emma helped Judith pack. Silver her mother and father had given her, linens, a few personal belongings, books, the lamp on her dressing table, a tea set Tex had brought her from Mexico City.

"You shouldn't do this. Suppose Mr. Aimes comes home. You'll just have to unpack."

"No, Emma. I'm not being dramatic. I've thought the whole thing out."

"Why don't you go home to your mother for a while?" Emma suggested soothingly.

"I can't burden them with my troubles. They have enough of their own." When night came, the two women had supper in the kitchen.

Next morning Judith went over to Manhattan to look at rooms. It was a dreary business. But that afternoon, she found a place off Central Park. It was a bedroom in a six-room apartment. The building was not prepossessing. The apartment was built along a long narrow hallway, but the bedroom had two windows and was airy.

Her new landlady hesitated when Judith told her she did not have a job, but smiled when told: "Don't worry. I'll pay a month in advance." It was \$20. Judith had about that amount of cash left.

Judith arranged to come the following morning. Then she went on back to Newark. There was still no word from Tex. Emma cried when she saw the face of Mrs. Aimes. Judith slept little that last night in her home.

When she said goodbye to Emma, Judith choked up, especially when the maid said: "If you don't mind, I think I'll stay until Mr. Tex comes home. I really think he will."

"Of course, if you wish. He may need you. He may want to stay on here. Goodbye, Emma."

The taxi was at the door. Judith walked out of the home she had loved without a backward look. In about an hour, via railroad and cab, she reached the rooming house. Now for a new life!

First, Judith telephoned Hugh Lanning. He was not in, but she left her phone number and name. Then she settled her clothes and her possessions. Later she took a stroll in the park. When she returned to the plain room, her gloom grew. . . .

Some time later the telephone rang. Mrs. Wilks called her. It was Hugh whose dinner invitation she gladly accepted. When she met him in a restaurant near his newspaper office, he brought good news.

"I think I've got a job lined up," Hugh announced.

"Marvelous! I need one so badly." "It won't pay much, not more than \$18 a week."

"I can live on that." "Can you run a switchboard, a small one?"

"I'll learn." "A lawyer pal of mine needs a telephonist. His reception room girl is leaving on a two months' vacation. You can learn the switchboard in an hour or so. It's a start, anyway. You're to begin next Monday."

He scrutinized Judith's face. "Sure you don't need any money?" "No thanks, Hugh."

Judith awaited Monday impatiently. She tried hard to keep busy. From the newspapers she learned Sonia was better. There was no word from husband Tex. Nor from Michael Dudley.

Just to keep busy, Judith cleaned the Wilks apartment thoroughly, from front to back. Wrapped in her landlady's biggest apron, she swept and scrubbed. She was in the midst of her vigorous volunteer work when the doorbell rang. She pushed the buzzer, waited impatiently, trying to wipe a smudge off her nose as she stood in the dark hallway. When she opened the door, she gasped.

It was Tex. He did not recognize his wife in the gloom.

"I'm looking for Mrs. Aimes," he said.

"I am Mrs. Aimes," her voice held laughter which was almost a sob. "Won't you come in?"

"Good Lord! Are you a maid here?"

"Just for the time being," Tex Aimes followed Judith down

the long narrow hall to the living room. She asked, "How did you find me?"

PARTIES

SOCIAL EVENTS

ACTIVITIES

One of Major Productions
Opens Monday at New Hope

One of the major productions of the summer at the Bucks County Playhouse, New Hope, Pa., opens Monday when Louis Calhern, stars in the late Arthur Schnitzler's famous Viennese comedy, "The Affairs of Anatol."

Heinrich Schmitzler, son of the noted Austrian playwright, is staging "Anatol."

Louis Calhern, who has been extremely popular with audiences this summer at New Hope in the four productions in which he has played, will appear as Anatol, the Viennese gay blade. In America John Barrymore acted this role in an earlier presentation.

"The Affairs of Anatol" is composed of five episodes in the romantic career of the hero. The episodes selected for production at New Hope are "Ask No Questions And You'll Hear No Stories," in which Anatol attempts a hypnotic experiment, "A Christmas Present," "A Farewell Supper," "An Episode" and the farcical "The Wedding Morning."

In a Personal Way -

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines, Burlington, N. J., are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, July 7th, at the St. Francis Hospital, Trenton, N. J. Mrs. Haines was the former Miss Elizabeth Mitchener, Swain street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks, Jefferson avenue, and Dr. and Mrs. William Groff, Radcliffe street, are vacationing for ten days at Belgrade Lake, Me. Roy Fry, Jefferson avenue, was a Wednesday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Dawson, Wildwood Villa, N. J.

Philip Spory has moved from Jefferson avenue to the Douglass Apartment, Dorrance and Wood streets.

Mrs. Benjamin Silber, Jefferson avenue, spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. George Light, Philadelphia.

Wallace Folger, Jefferson avenue, will spend the week-ended at Rhoeboth Beach, Del.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cahill and daughters, Theresa and Helen, Bath street, have returned from a few days' vacation at Seaside Heights, N. J.

Miss Jennie Slater, Bath street, is spending three weeks' vacation, with relatives at Detroit, Mich.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

There will be a triple feature show at the Grand today, with comedian Hugh Herbert in "La Conga Nights" furnishing the comedy end of a fine programme. He is surrounded by a cast that keeps you in laughter from the start to the finish.

Philip Dorn will be seen in the dramatic part of the programme in "Ski Patrol," a picture that is full of action and very entertaining. The third attraction will be the authentic pictures of the recent fight between Tony Galento and Max Baer for the honor of meeting Joe Louis. You can see the fight far better from a seat in the Grand Theatre than if you had a seat at the ringside, claims the theatre management.

Blonde and lovely Alice Faye portrays the first and greatest of America's glamor girls in Darryl F. Zanuck's production of "Lillian Russell," the 20th Century-Fox film which comes Sunday to the Grand Theatre, and features Don Ameche and Henry Fonda with her.

BRISTOL THEATRE

Suspense and mounting suspicion are climaxed with posse gun-play in the latest "Hopalong" Cassidy romance, "Hidden Gold," which opened last night at the Bristol Theatre.

The most amazing horror film in screen history, "The Human Monster," opened last night at the Bristol Theatre.

Praise from Jack Holt, like Caesar, is praise indeed. The star describes "Passport to Alcatraz" his new picture at the Bristol Theatre Sunday as "the best script I ever read or played."

"Grandpa Goes to Town," a Higgins Family picture which is at the Bristol Theatre Sunday, marks the first effort of Arturo Godoy and his pretty wife, Ledda Godoy, in films.

RITZ THEATRE

With loud "Yippies!" ringing in the air, Jane Withers and Gene Autry gallop into town in "Shooting High," the colorful action-romance of the West, at the Ritz Theatre today.

Loretta Young has never set a fashion in the manner of the late Jean Harlow, or Hedy LaMarr, or Colleen Moore, or Clara Bow, or any of the other ladies who led the feminine contingent for a spell. Miss Young has never had to; her ineffable loveliness cannot easily be imitated. And, for the same reason, the glowing star of "The Doctor Takes a Wife," at the Ritz Sunday with Ray Milland also starred, has never felt the necessity of tagging along in imitation of some other beautiful star.

Today's Quiet Moment

(By Howard L. Zepp, Th. M.)

Eternal God, Thou hast appointed our place and part in this human world. May Thy light lead us into the harmonies of law and grace; may we become responsive to every touch of nature, every whisper of truth, every appeal of humanity. Prepare us to serve our generation in the spirit of Thy son. Amen.

Mrs. James Fallon and children, Jefferson avenue and Pond street, enjoyed Sunday at Seaside, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson and daughter Eunice, East Circle, returned home after ten days' motor trip to Pittsburgh where they visited Mrs. Ferguson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bentley. From there, they motored to East Liverpool, O., and Mannington, W. Va.; and visited friends, Raymond and Edward Bentley, Beaver Falls, returned to Bristol with the Ferguson family for a week's visit.

Miss Theresa Hoffman, Pine street, spent three days visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. M. Allison, Morrisville.

Anthony Capella, Logan street, with Frank Clotti, Sr., and Frank Clotti, Jr., Holmesburg, week-ended in Fruitland, Md., Mrs. Capella and children and Mr. and Mrs. Faust Clotti and children, Garden street, were weekend guests of Mrs. Frank Clotti, Sr., Holmesburg.

Mrs. Walter Arrison, who has been in Beach Haven Crest, N. J., returned to her Radcliffe street home.

Mrs. J. G. Schaffer, Miss Edna Helings, Mrs. Emma Vandegrift, Bristol; Mrs. Murray Richman and Mrs. Elvin Yarnall, Frankford; Mrs. William Mathuse, Trenton, and visited Mrs. William Lacey, Beach Haven, N. J., on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Zarr and son, Wayne, Beaver Road, returned from a week's vacation with Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Zarr, Wilkes-Barre.

Mrs. Edward Sullivan will return to her home on Cedar street, Sunday after spending a month with relatives in Stuen, Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nealis, Mr. and Mrs. James Nealis, Mr. and Mrs. John Mulligan, Mrs. P. McGonigle, Mrs. Grace Wollard, Bristol; and Mrs. M. Harkins, Philadelphia, enjoyed Sunday in Seaside, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gilardi, Wissinoming, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sharp, Linden street.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Renk, Pond street, were Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Lauchman, Lansdale; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lenhart, Mr. and Mrs. George Owens, Frankford; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Leibly, and daughters, Dolores and Marion, Mayfair. Mrs. Renk spent Tuesday in Pitman, N. J., visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rossi, Philadelphia, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julio Scancellia, Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. Marinus Bakelaar, Farragut avenue, spent Monday in East Patterson, N. J., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward

Kearney. Miss Dolores Kane, Passaic, N. J., is spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Bakelaar.

FASHION PARADE

By Orry-Kelly
(Famous Hollywood Stylist Writing For International News Service)

HOLLYWOOD — (INS) — It may sound like a deep, dark paradox that the newest silhouette climbing to importance is a slim-but-full-one. But since fashion manages many things it was a simple matter for her to combine a pencil slim skirt with a very blousy top, give a slender skirt a side fullness in a drape, or add pouchy hip pockets to a skirt with bean pole proportions. And three of the best-dressed girls in movieland this week chose this combination silhouette.

Rosalind Russell yesterday celebrated her birthday and twice. Once on the set of "No Time For Comedy," where she was hailed in song seven times by singing telegram vendors—a gag worked by her co-workers—and again in the evening. At this last function Rosalind wore a slim-skirted dress in fuchsia wool jersey with slit front and pockets hinged out the hips to no mean proportions. Both pockets were heavy with amethyst and diamond sprays. Then Rosalind thrust a little sprig of purple plume in her hair.

Deliver Merle Oberon from the long blousy top, like that of the first post-war period, but for sheer flattery give her the new short bloused bodice emphasizing a slender skirt. Merle likes the blouse to continue right down to her finger tips in a full, long-sleeved bodice of peppermint striped sheer. The skirt is cream linen with single front pleat fanning out over a plastron of the stripe. A round neckline is banded in the linen. A row of small covered buttons starts from the skirt belt and continues half way up the bodice.

By drawing a very full short skirt over to a side drape Adrian fashions a lovely slim-fall frock for Jeanette MacDonald. Jeanette likes it well enough to want one for her own. She chose a green berry print on gray sheer. A large hip bow tops the drape with ends falling to skirt length and bound with fluting of the self material. Short cap sleeves are also fluted. Though this is a story on silhouette the hat Jeanette wears with this frock is a story too.

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ABOUT SCOUTS AND SCOUTING

The material used in this column will be contributed by the Scribes of the following units and Scouters interested in the work: Bristol Presbyterian Church, Scout Troop 3002, Cub Pack 3002; Harriman Methodist Church, Scout Troop 3007; St. James' Episcopal Church, Scout Troop 3025, Cub Pack 3025; Group of Citizens headed by Walter Pitzonka, Troop No. 3048; Bristol B. P. O. E. Seascouts "Elks" 5052.

NOTES ABOUT CAMP OCKANICKON

The camping season this year will be only four weeks. This was brought about because of the water situation. The water tank is now complete and the pump connected. The water supply from the 332-foot well is excellent and surpasses the state requirements, according to official tests.

As of July 11th, the enrollment for each week follows: July 13-20, 76 boys; July 20-27, 86 boys; July 27-August 3, 101 boys; August 3-10, 108 boys; total for the four weeks, 371 boys.

Troops from the Bristol area are in camp this year as follows: Troop No. 2, August 3-10; Troop No. 7, August 3-10; Troop No. 25, July 20-27; Troop No. 48, July 13-20.

The following information may be of interest to Scouters and friends of Scouting:

General As Regards Camp—Troops should check in by the middle of each Saturday and make arrangements to leave immediately following the noon meal the next Saturday.

Be Sure to Bring—Medical examination forms for leaders as well as Scouts, ample bedding, dishes, silverware, lanterns and flashlights.

Guest Meals At Camp—Scouters: Breakfast, 25 cents; lunch, 35 cents; dinner, 45 cents (Sunday, 60 cents). All non-Scouters will be ten cents more per meal. This year, in particular, give 48 hours' notice. The new mess hall is going to be really crowded. Nevertheless, you will be most welcome if you let us know.

Time—Camp will operate on Standard Time and not Daylight.

Visitors' Days—Sundays, and Wednesday and Friday evenings. Please do not bring ladies at any other time to save our Scouts possible embarrassment.

Senior Staff is as follows: Director, Robert B. Goeller; program director, Robert T. Hays; chef, Carl Clayton; commissary officer, John J. Lee; water front director, John Williams; camp doctor, Leo Szary.

A SCOUT IS REVERENT

A Scout is reverent. Reverence, as I interpret it, is a way of looking at the big, beautiful things of life. You reverence honorable old age. You reverence the Bible, your mother, your father. You honor and respect them all. You look up to them from the lower level of youth and inexperience with the world. To get the most from the team and your part in its success, look deep below the surface. There is your school. Perhaps it is just a small high school in a country village. But it is like the church in many ways. In this school of yours, you are taught to live a useful, happy, contented life. It is something of a shrine, this school of yours. Its teachers, who labor with you while you learn how to adapt yourself to a livelihood or further study, are our own missionaries. They sit back out of the rushing stream of life and give their lives to Youth and you.

"What counts in getting on the Team?" I can sum it up in a sentence: Be a Scout—a Good Scout—You must keep yourself physically fit—mentally awake and morally straight—if you wish to give yourself a fair chance to make the team.

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LATEST NEWS EVENTS

STRONG DEFENSIVE
INFELD ACCOUNTS
FOR CROYDON WIN

Y. M. A. Continues To Hold
The Edge on Fifth Place,
Downing Rohm & Haas

GAME ENDS AT 5 TO 2

Snyder and Holland Twirl Fine
Ball, Each One Had
Bad Frame

A strong defensive infield accounted for the Croydon Y. M. A.'s victory over Rohm & Haas last evening on Maple Beach diamond as the Croydonites continued to hold their edge on first place. Final score was: Y. M. A., 5; Rohm & Haas, 2.

Out of 13 chances to the infielders only one was missed up, and twice when the chemical workers threatened to rally that 6-4-4-3 combination of Palumbo to Oppman to Friel killed the rally.

The winners scored all their markers in the second frame. In this canto, McCue opened with a double. Friel bunted past third base for a single. Tullbach also bunted and beat it out and when Locke failed to hold Holland's throw, McCue counted. Tullbach went out stealing. McGinley was hit with a pitched ball. Sallustio bunted and Holland fumbled, scoring Friel.

Snyder then socked a tremendous triple over the trees in left field to score McGinley and Sallustio. Barroth sent Snyder home with a clean hit to right. Palumbo grounded out and Barroth went out trying for third on a passed ball.

Y. M. A.	ab	r	h	a	e		
Barroth rf	4	0	1	0	0		
Palumbo ss, 2b	3	0	1	0	3		
W. Oppman 2b, ss	3	0	1	0	0		
McCue c	3	1	1	5	0		
Friel 1b	3	1	2	10	0		
Tullbach 1b	3	0	1	0	0		
McGinley cf	3	1	0	0	0		
Sallustio 2b	3	1	0	0	5		
Snyder p	3	1	1	0	0		
H. Pruma of	1	0	1	0	0		
Totals	26	5	8	21	12		
Rohm & Haas	ab	r	h	a	e		
G. Ritter ss	3	0	0	0	2		
F. Oppman 3b	3	0	0	1	1		
Kohler 1b	3	0	1	1	0		
David 2b	3	0	1	1	0		
Locke 1b	3	0	1	10	0		
Vanzant c	3	0	0	5	4		
W. Ritter of	3	1	1	2	0		
Gallagher lf	3	1	2	0	1		
Holland p	3	0	2	0	1		
Totals	26	2	7	21	11		
Score by innings:	0	5	0	0	0	0	5
Three-base hits: McCue, W. Ritter, Gallagher. Three-base hits: Snyder, Palumbo, Holland. Single bases: Tullbach, Double plays: Palumbo to Oppman to Friel (2). Struck out by Snyder, 5; by Holland, 4. Base on balls: off Snyder, 1; off Holland, 0. Hit by pitcher: McGinley, Oppman. Umpire: Roe. Score: T. June.							

LINCKE AND PRAUL HOOK
UP IN HURLING DUEL

EDGELEY, July 20—Ralph Lincke and "Jake" Praul hooked up in an old fashioned hurling match on Edgely diamond last evening as Edgely A. C. stepped into fourth place in Bristol Suburban League, nosing out Odd Fellows, 2-1. Both hurlers allowed five hits, both fanned three. Praul was wild, passing four batsmen.

Edgely	ab	r	h	a	e	sl
Doster 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Dewnap lf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Callone 2b	3	0	1	0	0	0
S. Dick ss	3	0	0	0	5	1
Hunter cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Sekter c	3	0	0	0	5	0
DeKoye 1b	3	0	0	9	0	0
Shedka rf	3	1	1	1	1	0
Linke p	1	1	0	2	0	0
	22	2	5	21	10	1

BRISTOL METHODISTS
BREAK TIE TO WIN, 6-4

Bristol Methodist ten defeated Newportville Community Church at Newportville last evening 6 to 4. With the score tied at 3 all, going into the sixth inning, Grimes, first man up, beat out a hit. Waltz singled and after Yates fled out, Ludwig and Molden each doubled to score three runs which proved to be enough to win.

The feature of the game was a sensational running catch by Enry, Sr., in left field.

Bristol Methodist	ab	r	h	a	e		
A. Grimes of	3	1	1	0	0		
Varwick lf	3	0	1	0	0		
W. Hampton cf	3	0	1	0	0		
Grimes p	3	0	1	0	0		
Waltz 2b	3	0	1	1	2		
Yates ss	3	0	1	1	2		
V. Ludwig c	3	0	1	1	1		
Molden 1b	3	0	1	1	0		
Enry 3b	3	1	1	0	1		
Clay rf	3	0	1	1	1		
Totals	27	3	11	21	9		
Newportville Community	ab	r	h	a	e		
Sadley 2b	3	1	1	1	1		
Wesley ss	3	0	1	0	2		
Enry p	3	0	1	1	2		
Yumacher rf	3	0	1	0	0		
Die c	3	0	1	0	0		
Enry 3b	3	0	0	0	0		
Yick of	3	0	0	0	0		
Order of	3	0	0	0	0		
Stricks of	3	0	1	0	0		
Arch 1b	3	0	0	0	0		
Venson 2b	3	0	0	0	0		
Enry, Jr., 2b	3	0	0	0	0		
Totals	27	2	8	21	10		
innings:	0	0	1	0	2	0	6
istol Meth.	0	0	1	0	2	0	6
ewportville Com.	0	0	0	1	1	0	4

TULLYTOWN

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heger, Philadelphia, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Clay and Mrs. Katherine Clay have been spending several days with Mrs. Frank Corriden, Elkton, Md.

RETURNING TO COURTS - By Jack Sords



THREE RUNS IN FINAL
END GAME AT DEADLOCK

CROYDON, July 20—Three runs in the final frame earned Tullytown a 3-3 deadlock with St. Luke's in a fast tilt played on the field at State Road and Second avenue.

The trio gave Tullytown a 3-2 lead until the last half of the inning when an error by Moore, a stolen base, and two wild pitches by Marty Phillips tied the score. Heftman was the base-runner.

		1	0	0	0	0	3
Tullytown	ab	r	h	a	e		
Watson cf	3	0	0	2	1		
Leigh 1b	3	1	1	3	0		
Drig lf	3	1	2	1	0		
Moore ss	3	1	1	2	0		
P. Clay 2b	3	0	0	0	0		
H. Clay rf	3	0	0	0	0		
Johnson cf	3	0	0	0	1		
Phillips p	3	1	0	2	0		
Buton rf	3	0	0	0	0		
Totals	23	3	6	18	4		
St. Luke's	ab	r	h	a	e		
Kratz rf	3	0	0	0	0		
D. Ludwig ss	3	0	1	0	1		
Heftman 2b	3	1	1	1	0		
Forster lf	3	0	0	0	0		
Johnson cf	3	0	0	0	0		
Beisel c	3	1	0	2	0		
Strickler 1b	3	0	2	7	1		
Kershaw p	3	0	0	0	0		
Ludwig lf	3	0	0	0	0		
Totals	26	3	6	18	10		1
Score by innings:							
1	0	0	0	0	0	3	—3
2	0	1	0	0	1	1	—3
3	0	1	0	0	1	1	—3
4	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
5	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
6	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
7	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
8	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
9	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
10	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
11	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
12	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
13	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
14	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
15	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
16	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
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30	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
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32	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
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81	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
82	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
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93	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
94	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
95	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
96	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
97	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
98	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
99	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
100	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

PLENTY OF ACTION IS
PROMISED BOXING FANS

Plenty of action, much of it to be produced by local boys is promised for amateur boxing fans. Monday night, in St. Ann's A. A. Arena, as the art of fistfights in amateur style makes its 1940 debut.

It will mark the first amateur show here in the past two seasons, professional fighting having supplanted it under the direction of Joe Guerio and Cliff Smith.

However, St. Ann's is convinced that the local fans want amateur boxing at popular prices and so arrangements are being made thus.

James McGinley, a member of the board of the Middle Atlantic district of the A. A. U., arrived last night to make the final arrangements for the Monday night bouts.

An announcement from the committee in charge stated that the proposed Bucks County tournament will not be able to start until July 29th, because of the great number of teams and fighters entering.

Last evening, in the St. Ann's gym, 75 Bristol boys under direction of several fighters from this district were in training, preparing for the tournament.

The matchmaker in charge will pick the five best of these and match them against youngsters from Philadelphia as part of the ten bouts to be held here Monday night.

Reserve seats for the show will go on sale over the week-end. Tickets may be secured by contacting the St. Ann's A. A. club-house, or Frank's barber shop, Mill street. General admission tickets will be put on sale at

ALBRIGHTS OF TRENTON
WILL OPPOSE LANDRETH

Tomorrow, the Albright Club, of Trenton, N. J., will be the attraction at Landreth Ball Park. The visitors are leading in the N. J. semi-pro championship play-off, taking place at Dunn Field, in Trenton.

For many years the Albrights have had a first-class team, and in contests already played with Landreth the games won and lost are even, so Sunday's game should be an interesting affair. Albright will have a heavy hitting team in the field, batting as follows: Pancoast, lf; Nemcheck, ss; Gagliardi, rf; Penek, cf; Berchenough, 3b; Walters, 1b; Zernancy, 2b; Walsh, c; Ferry or Lindsey, p.

For the "Farmers" either Brucker or Carey will be on the mound; "Bill" Harwi behind the plate. Game starts at three o'clock.

Break-Thru of Meuse
Spelt Gamelin's End

Counsel, and personal political animosities at the very hour the nation's fate was being cast, may seem incredible enough.

But even more incredible was the fact that the high command had not been shaken up severely at the start of the war, or even before hostilities commenced. For it was an open secret among the career men of the army that Gamelin would have to go.

That is why a large percentage of the younger element in the active army hoped desperately that the Germans would attack early.

I first heard this amazing wish expressed one night last October by one of the most brilliant young officers of the Etat-Major of G. Q. G. I knew this officer intimately, having spent a good deal of time with him before the war in both North Africa and France, so he spoke candidly when I asked him how he evaluated the French chances.

"We have a chance if the Germans attack this Fall," he said. "But if we go through the Winter without fighting, I'm afraid we shall be sunk."

He smiled at my amazement. "You see," he explained, "we must have a shock very soon. There are several reasons. First we need a shock before we can get rid of our useless generals. We have more than 400 generals in the army and most of them—

including M. Gamelin — have passed their usefulness. We are a tradition-bound institution and we shan't be able to get rid of them until we have had a disaster.

"The nation needs a jolt too. If we are hit now we perhaps can galvanize our national effort in time. But if we stand still through the Winter the old dissensions will continue until it is too late. Furthermore, our troops won't be ready to fight.

"Our soldiers are magnificent. But I know my countrymen. If they don't have action quickly, they won't be much good by Spring."

I asked what was wrong with Gamelin.

"General Gamelin is just not cut out for commander-in-chief in war time," he said. "He lacks energy and imagination. He doesn't know what modern warfare is. He is far too timid and will hesitate at decisions which mean a cost of life. He is a tired man, a weak man."

He paused, then said:

"General Giraud is the man. There is a general. Politics have kept him back, but when the shock comes, he will be called. Huntzinger, Weygand and possibly George or Pretelat are other possibilities. But Gamelin and the other dodos will have to go, or we are lost."

How correct my friend's prophecy proved! I heard the same thing many times. And especially I heard the name of Giraud, from one end of the army to the other.

But you will recall what happened. The great General Giraud was kept in command of the Seventh Army up to the Channel until the offensive started. He led his troops into Belgium at dawn on May tenth. Then the disaster came at Sedan. The Ninth Army was broken and the Germans poured across the Meuse.

Giraud at that desperate hour was called out of Belgium and given command of the group of armies which was to try to bring order out of chaos. Too late, too late.

The gallant general gambled his life like a common soldier to try to save the impossible situation. He ranged along the front in a tank to rally his forces, personally viewed conditions and virtually attempted to stem the enemy advance with his own hands. He was captured in almost the same place he was taken prisoner in the Battle of Guise in 1914.

I spent three days at General Giraud's headquarters in St. Omer in February and I found him to be one of the few senior officers who looked on the situation with fearless, discerning eyes. His cry was for machines and more machines and national discipline. He did not suffer from the Maginot Line opiate which seemed to keep so many of the high command in a dream world. He told me at that time:

"The Germany of today is far more dangerous than the Germany of 1914. Unfortunately our nation and the world generally do not seem to realize this. But we will learn when the terrible test comes. And England will

learn. And I think you in America will learn, before it is all over.

"I do not think France will be defeated. But it will be a long and terrible war before we can win. I repeat—long and terrible."

I had the general's permission to cable this interview at the time, but the censors killed it. The censors hated truth that was even mildly unpalatable.

Could France have won, had men of Giraud's type been placed in command at the start? She might have, had they been able to awaken the nation in time. But that awakening, which didn't come, was the first requisite to victory, for France was like a man asleep or under the influence of drugs. Her fall was the result of the leaders. The troops and the people were brave, but the collapse came at the top. The Girauds and Reynauds might have saved the day, had they been called in time.

(In the concluding article, I shall try to describe the curious moral paralysis which gripped France.)

CROYDON

The Rev. and Mrs. Theodore H. Kohlmeier, Sr., Fort Wayne, Ind., are guests of the Rev. and Mrs. Theodore H. Kohlmeier, Jr.

Latest News

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Nazis Claim Destruction of 27
British Planes

Berlin, July 20—Destruction of 27 British planes by German fighters and anti-aircraft batteries was claimed today in an official communique issued by the Nazi high command.

Twenty-one of these were shot down in air battles over the English Channel yesterday, it was stated, and one other was brought down by naval anti-aircraft fire. The remainder were shot down either by fighter planes or anti-aircraft guns over Germany during last night.

Successful German attacks upon important military objectives in England and Scotland, and further sinkings of British shipping by planes and submarines also was reported.

John Ira Thomas Dies; Mine
Disaster Is Shock

Phillipsburg, July 20—State Secretary of Mines John Ira Thomas died today following a short illness, his end hastened by the shock of a disastrous mine explosion which took the lives of 63 men near Portage only a few days previous. He was 58 and suffered from arthritis.

Death came to the James cabinet official who had taken pride in Pennsylvania's record of no mine disasters during the first year of his administration at six this morning. The mining secretary had been removed Thursday from his Phillipsburg home to the McGirk Sanatorium.

Thomas appeared for a time to be recovering from his illness. News of the recent mining disaster at the Sonman Mine near Portage in which 63 miners lost their lives upset him and caused a heart spasm, it was learned.

Present at his bedside when he died were his mother, Mrs. David H. Thomas, of Phillipsburg, two sisters, and a brother, Thomas was a bachelor.

Only a few days before his death Governor James expressed the belief that Thomas was recovering. Discussing with reporters the mine explosion at the Sonman mine, the Governor said that one of Thomas' greatest boasts was that Pennsylvania last year set a record of no major mining disaster.

British Warcraft Heavily
Damaged, Say Italians

Rome, July 20—Claims that the Italian cruiser Bartolomeo Colleoni "inflicted heavy damage" upon British warcraft before being sunk in the Mediterranean were made today in an official military bulletin which reported—

"Yesterday off Crete there was a 3-hour combat, our light cruisers Giovannini Dalle Bande Nere and Bartolomeo Colleoni against two British it was stated.

SLUGGING MILLER - By Jack Sords



AID DEFENSE TRAINING

PHILADELPHIA—(INS)—Facilities of at least three Philadelphia vocational high schools will be turned over to the Federal Government to expedite its training of young men as airplane mechanics.

Present courses will not be discarded, but new ones will be added to meet the needs of the Government, according to plans formulated by the Board of Education.

Cold Hostility Is British
Reaction to Hitler Speech

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very aptly the character spoke of the "false lullaby of appeasement."

By Charles A. Smith
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent
LONDON, July 20—(INS)—British fighter planes and anti-aircraft batteries were very busy this morning in Southeast Scotland, where a German air raider dropped high explosive bombs near two towns.

The explosions were heard for miles, but as far as could officially be ascertained, there were no casualties. Fires were started by the bombs, however.

An official announcement said that Nazi raiders dropped bombs during the night in Scotland and Southeast Scotland. Two German planes were shot down.

Simultaneously members of the class of 1907 began registering today for military duty.

It was revealed in an official statement that yesterday 150 German bombers and fighters and British pursuit planes battled in two major engagements yesterday.

The first occurred about noon Friday when a flight of seventy German bombers, attempting to attack shipping convoys in a harbor, were attacked by six British Hurricane fighters.

In the second engagement nine Hurricanes engaged fifty German planes which raided shipping in a south coast harbor.

In both engagements the famous British Spitfire fighters aided the Hurricanes in driving the Germans away, meo Colleoni against two British it was stated.

BASEBALL - SUNDAY

Albrights of Trenton vs. Landreth's Seeds

AT LANDRETH BALL PARK

— 3 P. M. —

ADMISSION, 25c CHILDREN, 10c

RADIO PATROL - EDDIE SULLIVAN and CHARLIE SCHMIDT

